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Inventor(s): Cynthia K. Schilling et al.

**Confirmation No.: 1054**

Application No.: 10/032,969

**Examiner: Joshua Joo**

Filing Date: 10/25/2001

**Group Art Unit: 2154**Title: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DISPLAYING NETWORK STATUS IN A NETWORK  
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED ON DECEMBER 2, 2005

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on December 2, 2005, the applicants respond as follows:

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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